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In re Application of
Harold G. Brown
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: PETITION DECISION
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This is a response to the petition under 37 CFR 1.59(b), filed March 28, 2005, to expunge confidential information from the above identified application.

Petitioner requests that documents submitted August 2, 2004, and July 31, 2003 as a Proprietary Information Disclosure Statements be expunged from the record. Petitioner states either: (A) that the information contains trade secret material, proprietary material and/or material that is subject to a protective order which has not been made public; or (B) that the information submitted was unintentionally submitted and the failure to obtain its return would cause irreparable harm to the party who submitted the information or to the party in interest on whose behalf the information was submitted, and the information has not otherwise been made public. The petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(g) has been paid.

This application has been allowed and the examiner by allowing the application has determined that the documents submitted do not affect patentability of the application.

The petition is **GRANTED**. The expunged documents are returned herewith.

Should there be any questions with respect to this decision, please contact William R. Dixon, Jr., by mail addressed to: Director, Technology Center 1600, PO BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, or by telephone at 571-272-0519 or by facsimile transmission at 571-273-8300.

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